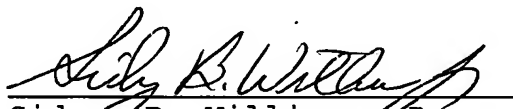


REMARKS

Claims 1, 42, 43 and 45 have been amended and Claims 34, 35, 37-41, 44, 46 and 47 have been cancelled to remove subject matter claimed in parent application, U.S. Serial No. 10/211 879, filed August 2, 2002, and now allowed. Entry of this Amendment Before First Office Action is respectfully solicited because its entry will simplify prosecution of this application and it does not introduce new matter into the application.

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